CHAPTER 248

(House Bill 1658)

AN ACT concerning

Dorchester County - Sanitary Districts -Shared Facilities

FOR the purpose of defining certain terms; granting certain powers to the Dorchester County Sanitary District, Inc., and other bodies, to provide sanitary service to shared facilities in Dorchester County; providing for the method of creation of shared facilities; providing for certain financing of the service to shared facilities; and relating generally to sanitary services to shared facilities in Dorchester County.

BY adding to

Article 43 - Health Section 645(p) and (q) and 664A Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume and 1979 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 43 - Health

645.

- (P) THE TERM "SHARED FACILITY" MEANS A WATER SYSTEM OR SEWERAGE SYSTEM SERVICING AN AREA CONSISTING OF (1) MORE THAN ONE LOT OF LAND, (2) MORE THAN ONE USER ON A SINGLE LOT OF LAND; OR (3) A SERIES OF INDIVIDUAL WATER OR SEWERAGE SYSTEMS ON INDIVIDUAL LOTS OF LAND.
- (Q) THE TERM "USER" MEANS A CONNECTION FROM A SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENCE OR EQUIVALENT THEREOF, TO A SHARED FACILITY.

664A.

- (A) (1) THE DORCHESTER COUNTY SANITARY DISTRICT, INC., IS HEREBY GRANTED AND MAY EXERCISE ALL POWERS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE FUNCTIONS RELATING TO THE FURNISHING OF SERVICES TO A SHARED FACILITY.
- (2) THE DORCHESTER COUNTY SANITARY DISTRICT, INC., IS AUTHORIZED TO PURCHASE, HOLD, LEASE, BUILD, CONSTRUCT, OWN, OPERATE, REPAIR, MAINTAIN, AND IMPROVE A SHARED FACILITY IN DORCHESTER COUNTY AND TO ENTER INTO